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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL REJECTION**

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 20, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.